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Subject: Re: UCR data release

Thanks

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 25, 2018, at 10:20 PM, William L. Gibbons (wgibbons) <wgibbons@memphis.edu> wrote:

FBI UCR figures for 2017 are out with the inevitable rankings to follow over the next few weeks. (Of course, we know we do a better job on reporting crime than many cities, but it is what it is,)

Among cities with a population over 200,000, Memphis ranked 4th in major violent crime. In 2016, we were 3rd. St. Louis, Detroit, and Baltimore reported higher violent crime rates in 2017. All of Shelby County ranked 8th. Nashville/Davidson County ranked 15th.

On major property crime, Memphis ranked 3rd, driven by motor vehicle thefts, compared to 8th in 2016.

Neither the Crime Commission or the Public Safety Institute plans any media release on this. It is just FYI.

Bill

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From: DARC EHenderson <darc.ehenderson@gmail.com>
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Just an FYI that the 2017 UCR data was released today. The tables below are for a quick glance to see where Memphis and Shelby County are within the top 25 cities lists for Violent Crime Rate and Property Crime Rate since it will be a while before all the reports are ready, but I'm working on them.

Please note that as the UCR stated last year, any city that did not comply with reporting rape based on the new definition was not included in any rape data and therefore excluded from the violent crime totals as well. While that caused some cities with populations over 200K to be excluded, it did not affect many that were on our list last year. The only city from last year that is not included this year due to the rape exclusion is Toledo, OH. While other cities fell off the

list, it was not due to being excluded based on missing data, but based on lower rates.

To see how much the rape data excluding a city might affect the top 25 list, I also ran rate comparisons for violent offense less rape (murder, robbery, and aggravated assault without the rape data for all cities) and compared those rates. Using this method, it caused Toledo, OH to move up into the top 25 (at 22) which subsequently caused Washington DC to move down off the list.

City	Violent crime	Violent Crime Rate	Violent Crime City Order
St. Louis	6,461	2082.3	1
Detroit	13,796	2056.7	2
Baltimore	12,430	2027.0	3
Memphis	13,077	2003.3	4
Kansas City	8,362	1724.3	5
Milwaukee	9,507	1597.4	6
Cleveland	5,999	1556.8	7
Shelby County, TN	14114	1506.4	8
Stockton ⁶	4,379	1414.6	9
Albuquerque	7,686	1369.1	10
Indianapolis	11,616	1334.0	11
Oakland	5,521	1299.3	12
San Bernardino	2,805	1291.1	13
Anchorage	3,564	1203.3	14
Nashville Metropolitan	7,682	1138.2	15
New Orleans	4,457	1121.4	16
Minneapolis	4,614	1101.3	17
Chicago	29,737	1098.9	18
Houston	25,609	1095.2	19
Tulsa	4,214	1040.8	20
Baton Rouge	2,335	1026.8	21
Wichita	3,998	1022.3	22
Buffalo	2,611	1019.2	23
North Las Vegas	2,461	1014.7	24
Modesto	2,074	970.6	25
Washington DC	6,584	948.7	26

City	Property crime	Property Crime Rate
Albuquerque	41,350	7365.
Spokane	15,697	7231.
Memphis	41,110	6297.
San Francisco	54,356	6168.
St. Louis	18,745	6041.
Oakland	25,422	5982.
Portland	36,867	5677.
Baton Rouge	12,721	5594.
Tacoma	11,901	5574.
Wichita	21,649	5535.
Tulsa	22,088	5455.
Orlando	15,490	5454.
Mobile ³	13,549	5453.
Anchorage	16,041	5415.
Seattle	37,934	5258.
Tucson	27,956	5251.
Cincinnati	15,105	5049.
Shelby County, TN	46900	5005.
Baltimore	30,220	4928.
Cleveland	18,944	4916.
San Antonio	73,676	4844.
Atlanta	22,991	4776.
Minneapolis	19,446	4641.
Kansas City	22,035	4543.
Detroit	30,458	4540.
Glendale	11,293	4530.

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